the period 1.4.86 to 30.9.86 is given below:—

Railway	No. of persons travelling without ticket or with improper tickets (in lakhs)	Amount of Railway dues realised (Rs. in lakhs)	No. of persons prosecuted	No. of persons jailed	Amount of judicial fine realised (Rs. in lakhs)
Central	3·92	101·46	14,168	8,651	4·59
Eastern	5·58	90·63	36,221	19,731	3·91
Northern	3·84	105·67	10,984	6,526	3·73
North-Eastern	1·63	26·69	11,030	7,021	5·13
Northeast Frontier	0·80	28·68	469	277	0·21
Southern	1·70	50·84	7,002	2,803	0·55
South Central	2·13	75·68	11,743	4,614	1·50
South Eastern	4·27	72·56	3,481	2,040	1·12
Western	4·50	94·56	32,9481	5,503	2·21

Cancer Patients in the Country

2092. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cancer patients in the country during the years 1984, 1985 and so far in 1986; and

(b) the number of deaths reported in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) A statement showing the number of cancer patients admitted in various hospitals in States and deaths occured during 1984 and 1985 is enclosed. [See Appendix CXL, Annexure No. 78.] The information relating to the year 1986 is not available.

Replacement of Steel Sleepers by Concrete Sleepers

2093. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the length in kilometre routes replaced by the concrete cement sleepers in Railways till July, 1986;

(b) when this work of replacing the steel sleepers by concrete cement sleepers likely to be completed; and

(c) the number of concrete cement sleeper manufacturing units?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Approximately 3600 Kms. of track.

(b) Cement concrete sleepers are being increasingly used on important routes. In the first phase dependence on wooden sleepers is being reduced. Replacement of other types of sleepers